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BUPERS INSTRUCTION 1050.11G

From: Chief of Naval Personnel

To: All Ships and Stations (less Marine Corps field addressees not having Navy personnel attached)

Subj: FOREIGN LEAVE TRAVEL OF ACTIVE DUTY NAVY PERSONNEL

Ref: (a) MILPERSMAN 1050-250

- (b) NAVPERS 15559B, Officer Transfer Manual
- (c) NAVPERS 15909G, Enlisted Transfer Manual
- (d) OPNAVINST 4650.15
- (e) OPNAVINST 4650.11F
- (f) DOD 4500.54-G, DOD Foreign Clearance Guide

Encl: (1) List of countries for which permission to visit must be obtained from Navy Personnel Command (NAVPERSCOM)

(2) Entry requirements and specific travel information on countries and places for which permission to visit is not required from Navy Personnel Command (NAVPERSCOM)

1. Purpose

- a. To supplement references (a) through (e).
- b. To issue entry requirements and travel information for travel of active duty Navy personnel on leave outside the United States. This instruction is a complete revision and should be reviewed in its entirety.
- 2. Cancellation. BUPERSINST 1050.11F.
- 3. <u>Scope</u>. This instruction applies to military personnel on leave in foreign countries. Policy and procedures for granting simple foreign leave travel are in reference (a). Policy for granting foreign leave travel in connection with temporary additional duty (TAD) orders is in references (b) and (c). Policy for circuitous travel associated with permanent change of station (PCS) orders is in reference (d). Policy for clearances

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and accreditation for all official temporary duty (TDY or TAD) by Department of the Navy (DON) personnel is in reference (e).

4. Action

- a. Unless prohibited by competent authority, commanding officers (COs) may, as set forth in reference (a), authorize foreign leave travel to countries and places not listed in enclosure (1). All countries for which foreign leave is anticipated or authorized, as well as those through which travel is required, must be specifically listed in the detaching endorsement on PCS orders or in the leave authorization. Personnel visiting or traveling through countries listed in enclosure (1) should comply with special requirements contained therein.
- b. Personnel wanting to visit countries listed in enclosure (1) will submit a request to Navy Personnel Command (NAVPERSCOM) (PERS-454C) per reference (a).
- c. Area commanders and other Navy representatives are requested to provide NAVPERSCOM (PERS-454C) information for inclusion in enclosure (2), and to submit change recommendations whenever new information is brought to their attention. Information contained in reference (f) about ordinary leave is in enclosure (2); however, reference (f) is primarily for use by flight crew personnel and official Department of Defense (DOD) TDY or TAD travel. Therefore, up-to-date information about entry requirements should be submitted promptly. Similar information is also requested on countries listed in enclosure (1).

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LIST OF COUNTRIES AND PLACES FOR WHICH PERMISSION TO VISIT MUST BE OBTAINED FROM NAVY PERSONNEL COMMAND (NAVPERSCOM)

Albania

Algeria

Angola

Armenia

Azerbaijan

Bahrain

Belarus

Bolivia

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Bulgaria

Burma (Myanmar)

Cambodia

Chad

China

Comoros

Croatia

Cuba

Cyprus

Democratic Republic of the Congo

Eritra

Estonia

Ethopia

Georgia

Guinea

Guinea-Bissau

Haiti

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Somalia

South Africa

Sudan

Syria

Taiwan

Tajikistan

Tibet

Turkmenistan

Ukraine

United Arab Emirates

Uzbekistan

Vietnam

Western Sahara

Yemen

Zimbabwe

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIFIC TRAVEL INFORMATION ON COUNTRIES AND PLACES FOR WHICH PERMISSION TO VISIT IS NOT REQUIRED FROM NAVY PERSONNEL COMMAND (NAVPERSCOM)

- 1. Information in this enclosure is provided on countries Navy personnel would most likely visit. It is not a complete listing of countries and places that do not require travel permission from NAVPERSCOM. If travel is intended to countries not listed in this enclosure or enclosure (1), the traveler is still responsible for obtaining travel information and to comply with laws of the countries/places to be visited by themselves and any accompanying dependents.
- 2. This listing is prepared from information furnished in reference (f). Since this information is subject to frequent change, travelers when considered necessary or appropriate may direct their questions to the State Department, Washington, DC, or to U.S. officials/U.S. Attaches in countries/places to be visited. Following abbreviations have been used:

AMEMBASSY - American Embassy

ALUSNA - American Legation and United States Naval

Attache

DATT - Defense Attache

KUSLO - Kenya United States Liaison Office

USAIRA - United States Air Attache
USARMA - United States Army Attache
USDAO - United States Defense Attache

USDRO - United States Defense Representative Office

USNLO - United States Naval Liaison Officer

USOLA - United States Office of Liaison Administration

- 3. Proof of U.S. citizenship includes
 - a. a valid or expired U.S. passport.
- b. a certified U.S. Birth Certificate, Certificate of Naturalization, and Report of Birth Abroad of a Citizen of the United States.

Note: Voter registration cards are not accepted as proof of citizenship.

Proof of identity includes a valid driver's license and a government ID card provided they identify you by physical description or photograph.

ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA. ID cards and orders are required. For tourist stays up to 6 months, U.S. citizens need proof of U.S. citizenship as well as return/onward ticket/proof of sufficient funds. No U.S. military attache assigned. USDAO with responsibility for Antigua and Barbuda is located at the AMEMBASSY in Bridgetown.

ARGENTINA. Tourist passport, ID card, and leave orders required. A visa is required if staying more than 3 months. Military personnel on leave do not require country clearance, however, these personnel must notify USDAO of planned travel and must provide name, rank, branch of service, dates and points of arrival/departure. DATT assigned. Civilian clothing required.

ASCENSION ISLAND. Military personnel on leave require passport, ID card, and orders. There are no DATTs or diplomatic officials assigned. Firearms are prohibited. Swimming is discouraged due to sharks and heavy undertow.

<u>AUSTRIA</u>. Military personnel stationed in Germany or Italy on leave require ID card, leave orders, and appropriate border crossing form for travel to/through Austria. All other military personnel on leave (and their dependents) require passport for travel to/through Austria. AMEMBASSY is located at Boltz Manngasse 16 in Ninth District in Vienna.

<u>AUSTRALIA</u>. Passports and visas or electronic travel authority is required. Visa must be obtained beforehand. Onward/return transportation is required. DATT assigned. Consulate in Sydney is located at Level 59, MLC Center, 19-29 Martin Place. NSW 2000.

AZORES. See Portugal.

BAHAMAS. ID card and leave orders are required or proof of U.S. citizenship. USLO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Mosmar Building on Queen Street in Nassau.

BANGLADESH. Military personnel on leave require clearance and must have passport. U.S. citizens arriving without passport will not be allowed entry into Bangladesh. Visas are available at Bangladesh diplomatic missions or trade commissions where there is no embassy or consulate. A visa not to exceed 15 days may be obtained at airport during immigration and passport processing provided traveler holds an onward ticket. Photography from aircraft and photography of civil or military airports or structures of military significance (bridges, railheads, port facilities, military facilities, etc.) is forbidden. Personal cameras may be used. Firearms and "walkie-talkies" are forbidden without permission of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and diplomatic approval. Respect Islamic customs. USARMA assigned. Civilian clothing required.

BARBADOS. DATT assigned. U.S. citizens may enter Barbados for up to 28 days without a passport but must carry an original document proving U.S. citizenship, photo identification, and an onward/return ticket. ID card and leave orders are required. Firearms are permitted for recreational shooting only and must be registered and left with the police commissioner. Hunting is not permitted.

<u>BELGIUM</u> (NATO). ID card and leave orders required. Photographing of canals, bridges, and military installations is restricted. USARMA assigned.

<u>BENIN</u>. Passports and visas required. No firearms are allowed. Use of cameras, even for tourists, is discouraged. Photography of any military and most public installations is forbidden. Civilian clothing is recommended. DATT assigned.

<u>BERMUDA</u>. Military personnel on leave require proof of citizenship, ID card, and orders. Carrying firearms off-base is prohibited. AMEMBASSY is located at Crown Hill, 16 Middle Road, Devonshire in Hamilton.

BOTSWANA. Passports required. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice. Such personnel should notify AMEMBASSY of their whereabouts and itinerary to facilitate emergency notification. All personnel must register with immigration regardless of length of stay. No firearms may be brought into the country, except for hunting and sports

rifles with permit issued by the police. Such permits may take up to 2 years to obtain. USDAO is located in Gaborone on Embassy Drive, Government Enclave.

BRAZIL. Passport, visa, ID card, and orders required. Visas must be obtained in advance. Personnel clearance is not required; however, travel notification should be sent to USDAO Brasilia. No photography is authorized during flight. Keep cameras in luggage until leaving airport. ALUSNA assigned. AMEMBASSY is located at Avenida Das Nacoes, Lote 3 in Brasilia.

BURKINA FASO. Passports and visas required. Civilian clothing required. Advance notice of several months is required to register firearms. AMEMBASSY recommends firearms not be imported. AMEMBASSY is located in Ouagadougou on Avenue Raoul Follerau.

BURUNDI. Passports and visas required. Upon arrival, personnel should notify AMEMBASSY of their presence in Burundi. Discussion of tribal classes is not recommended. Request permission before photographing local nationals. No sidearms or hunting equipment may be carried. In event of a road accident, do not discuss with people at scene. Go directly to nearest civilian or military authorities. AMEMBASSY is located on Avenue Des Etats-unis in Bujumbura.

CAMEROON. Personnel on leave require passports and visas. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice; however, notification to USDAO is required upon arrival. Register firearms. State Department advises travelers to exercise caution when taking photographs in Cameroon. While not officially forbidden, security officials are sensitive about photography of government buildings and military installations, many of which are unmarked. Photography of these subjects may result in seizure of photographic equipment by Cameroon authorities. U.S. citizens are advised to seek prior permission of Cameroonian authorities before taking a photograph of a specific subject or location. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located on Rue Nachtigal in Yoaunde, also an office is located in Douala.

<u>CANADA</u> (NATO). Uniform not ordinarily worn. Personnel require ID card and orders. Visa not required for less that 180 days. AMEMBASSY is located at Ontario at 490 Sussex Drive in Ottawa.

<u>CAPE VERDE</u>. Passports and visas required. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice. Civilian clothing is preferred. Firearms are prohibited. AMEMBASSY is located on Rua Abilio, M. Macedo 81 in Praia.

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC (C. A. R.). Passports and visas required. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice, but do require identification credentials. U.S. citizens are urged to register their presence with consular section of AMEMBASSY in Bangui upon arrival in country. Taking photographs of police or military installations, as well as government buildings, is prohibited. Firearms must be licensed. AMEMBASSY is located on Avenue David Dacko, B.P. 924, in Bangui.

CHILE. Military personnel on leave require passport, ID card and orders. Stays of more than 90 days require a visa. Water in large cities is normally safe but outside these cities only bottled water should be consumed. Transient personnel should drink only bottled water. To avoid typhoid infection, do not eat unrefrigerated mayonnaise in warm weather. Cholera has been detected in Chile. Avoid undisinfected or uncooked fruits and vegetables; eat only cooked seafood. USAIRA assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Santiago at 2800 Andres Bellos.

COSTA RICA. Personnel with tourist passports do not require visas. Military personnel arriving in Costa Rica without passports may purchase a tourist card for \$2; however, during departure processing they must provide proof of citizenship. Military personnel on leave should contact AMEMBASSY, San Jose, within 2 working days of arrival. Groups larger than five individuals traveling to Costa Rica will notify AMEMBASSY by message at least 10 days prior to date of travel and provide following information: date of arrival in Costa Rica, date of departure from Costa Rica, and size of group. AMEMBASSY is located in Pavas San Jose.

CZECH REPUBLIC. Passports and leave orders required. Visas are required only for visits of more than 30 days. Civilian clothing required. There is no limit on import of U.S. or other foreign currency. Entry by car requires registration papers, valid International Driver's License, and Personal Liability Insurance valid for Czech Republic. Avoid drinking tap water, due to presence of nitrates. Use bottled or mineral water

whenever possible. Although medical facilities are available, they are limited particularly in remote areas. AMEMBASSY in Prague is located at Trziste 15.

DENMARK (NATO COUNTRY). Military personnel on leave must have ID card and leave orders. Visa not required for stays of 90 days or less. Firearms are restricted. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY in Copenhagen is located at Dag Hammarskjolds Alle 24.

<u>DJIBOUTI</u>. Passports and visas are required for all travelers. Visas must be obtained in advance. In countries without a Djiboutian embassy, visas are normally obtained from the French embassy. Airport visas are not issued. Civilian clothing is preferred. No photographs should be taken of any object which could be construed as a military target. Do not take pictures of local citizenry without individual's permission. License is required for firearms. State Department advises all personnel to register with AMEMBASSY. AMEMBASSY is located at Plateau Du Serpent, Boulevard Marechal Joffre, in Djibouti City.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. Entry/exit requirements for DOD personnel are a tourist passport with visa or a tourist passport with purchase of tourist card upon arrival (\$10 U.S.). Military personnel on leave are required to contact USDAO on arrival at (809) 221-2171, ext 220/270/422. After 1700 contact USDAO at (809) 221-8100. AMEMBASSY is located in Santo Domingo at the corner of Calle Cesar Nicolas Penson and Calle Leopoldo Navarro.

ECUADOR. Passports, ID card, orders, and return/onward ticket required. Tourist cards, valid for a maximum of 90 days, are normally issued upon arrival. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. Permit is required for firearms. Use of cameras is prohibited on or near airports and defense installations. USAIRA assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Auito at Avenida 12 de Octubre and Avenida Patria.

FINLAND. Passports are required. A visa is not required for stays less than 90 days. Military personnel on leave with Finnish backgrounds should inform USDAO of travel to determine if they may be held liable for Finnish military service. Firearms must be declared. Customs will hold firearms until police permit is issued. Use of cameras is restricted on airports, in flight, and near border areas. Avoid "noisiness,"

particularly in public areas. Local laws are extremely rigid on abuse of alcoholic beverages, especially when driving. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY in Helsinki is located at Itainen Puistotie 14A.

FRANCE (NATO). Active duty military personnel assigned to European Command (EUCOM) theater on leave require a copy of leave orders with a valid military ID card. Military personnel not stationed in EUCOM theater require a tourist passport. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. U.S. citizens who are considered to have also acquired French citizenship may be subject to compulsory military service and other aspects of French law while in France. Those who might be affected can inquire at a French Embassy or Consulate regarding their status. In some instances, dual nationality may hamper U.S. government efforts to provide protection abroad. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Paris at 2 Avenue Gabriel.

GABON. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice, but do require identification credentials. Passports and visas are required. State Department recommends all tourists have a valid return ticket as well as a letter, in French confirming hotel reservation or an invitation from their host. Do not use cameras at airport or photograph the presidential palace downtown. License is required for firearms. AMEMBASSY is located at Boulevard de la Mer in Liberville.

GAMBIA, THE. Passports, visas, and identification credentials are required. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice. Civilian clothes are preferred. AMEMBASSY is located on Kairaba Avenue in Fajara, a suburb of Banjul.

GERMANY (NATO). Personnel on leave require ID card and leave orders. Civilian personnel (including dependents) require passports. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. Civilian clothing may be worn in non-duty status. Importation of any type of narcotics or dangerous drugs is prohibited. Photographing military installations, troops, and equipment in the former GDR is prohibited. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY in Berlin is located at Neustaedtische Kirchstrasse 4-5, with consular section located at Clayallee 170, (Zehlendorf).

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GHANA. Military personnel desiring to visit Ghana on leave must request and receive permission from U.S. Ambassador prior to entering Ghana. Military personnel on leave must inform embassy of arrival, duration of stay, address in Ghana, and date of departure. Other U.S. citizens visiting Ghana are urged to contact AMEMBASSY Consular Section (phone: 776-601/2 or 776944) to inform embassy of their address and duration of stay. Passports and visas are required. Do not bring firearms without prior embassy approval. State Department advises travelers to practice the utmost prudence in taking photographs in Accra. Photographs of Accra's International Airport are prohibited. Undeveloped film may be confiscated. AMEMBASSY is located on Ring Road East, in Accra.

GIBRALTAR. ID card and leave orders required. Civilian personnel (including dependents) require passports. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. All U.S. personnel crossing the border between Gibraltar and Spain require a valid passport. Border will be open for transit of persons and vehicles without merchandise 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Use of personal cameras is subject to local restrictions. Firearms and fireworks are prohibited. No U.S. embassy or consulate located in the area. USNLO renders consular assistance.

GREECE (NATO). Military personnel on leave require passport or military ID, and leave orders. Civilian clothing is advisable when on leave. No advance notification is required for leave travel by military personnel. Civilian personnel (including dependents) require passports. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. Photographs may not be taken of any military installation. Firearms are prohibited. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY in Athens is located at Al Vasilissis Sophias Boulevard.

GREENLAND. Passport, ID card and orders required. A visa is required if stay is over 3 months. There is no AMEMBASSY or Consulate located in Greenland. DATTs responsible for Greenland are stationed in Copenhagen, Denmark.

GUADELOUPE. Personnel on leave require passport, onward/return ticket, and ID card. A visa is not required for stays of less than 90 days. There are no DATTs or diplomatic officials stationed in Guadeloupe. Do not use cameras on airport. Attaches responsible for Guadeloupe are stationed in Paris,

France. For assistance, U.S. citizens may contact U.S. Consular Agency in Fort de France, Martinique, located at 9 Rue Des Alpinias, Dedier.

GUATEMALA. Active duty personnel traveling to Guatemala on leave and military retirees must request country clearance from USDAO Guatemala. All personnel must have a passport. A visa is not required for stays of less than 90 days. U.S. citizens must carry identification credentials with them at all times. All U.S. personnel are encourage to contact the consular section of the AMEMBASSY for travel and security information. AMEMBASSY is located at Avenida Reforma 7-01, Zone 10, Guatemala City.

HONDURAS. Passport required valid for at least 6 months. Personnel on leave require country clearance from U.S. Military Group Honduras. AMEMBASSY is located in Tegucigalpa at Avenida La Paz.

HONG KONG. Passport required. A visa is not required for tourist visits of up to 3 months. USOLA located in the Consulate General at 26 Garden Road in Central District.

HUNGARY. Passport, ID card and leave orders required. Visas are required only for stays of 90 days or more. Photography is permitted, except around fenced military installations. Medical treatment in Hungary is adequate to excellent. Doctors and hospitals often expect immediate cash payments for health services. If traveling by car, use only border-crossing points on main roads to enter and leave Hungary. Many minor crossing points are open to nationals of Hungary and adjacent country only, not to other foreigners. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Budapest at V 1054 Szabadsag Ter 12.

<u>ICELAND</u> (NATO). ID card and leave orders required. A visa is not required for less than 90 days. AMEMBASSY is located at Laufasvegur in Reykjavik.

INDONESIA. Country clearance is not required for leave. Passports and onward/return tickets are required. Personnel on leave must advise USDAO Jakarta ID with info copy to USCINCPAC HONOLULU HI//J02/J33/J52//. Permission is required to travel to Irian, Jaya and Timor. AMEMBASSY is located in Jakarta at Medan Merdeka Selatan 5. Wear civilian clothes.

IRELAND, REPUBLIC OF. Military personnel on leave require passport, ID card, and leave orders. Civilian personnel (including dependents require a passport. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. A visa is required if staying more than 90 days.

ITALY (NATO). Military personnel on leave require ID card and leave orders; in addition, possession of a tourist passport is highly recommended. Civilian clothing is required. Civilian personnel (including dependents) require passports. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. AMEMBASSY is located at Via Veneto 119/A in Rome.

<u>JAMAICA</u>. If traveling directly from U.S., Puerto Rico, or U.S. Virgin Islands, Americans can enter Jamaica with proof of U.S. citizenship, photo identification, return ticket and sufficient funds. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Kingston on third floor of Jamaica Mutual Life Center, 2 Oxford Road.

<u>JAPAN</u>. ID card and leave orders required. Military personnel with leave orders identifying Japan as a destination are exempt from passports. All other U.S. citizens (DOD civilians, dependents, retired military, etc.) require a passport. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Tokyo at 1-10-5 Akasaka, Minato-Ku, Tokyo 107.

KENYA. Passport required. License is required for firearms. Military personnel on leave must contact KUSLO and provide leave address, phone number, and duration of stay in Kenya. For stays of less than 30 days, obtain a no-charge entry stamp upon arrival. Ordinary leave travel to Kenya via AMC is authorized for active duty, retired military personnel, and dependents. Aids is high-risk in Kenya. Medical attention and blood transfusions at local hospitals should be coordinated through AMEMBASSY Nairobi medical unit.

KOREA (SOUTH). Military personnel on leave are exempt from passports and visas but must have ID card and orders. All other travelers on leave require passport. A visa is not required for tourist stays of up to 30 days. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Seoul at 82 Sejong-Ro, Chongro-Ku.

<u>LUXEMBOURG</u> (NATO). ID card and leave orders required. Civilian personnel (including dependents) require passports. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. Firearms must be registered. USARMA assigned. AMEMBASSY is located at 22 Boulevard Emmanuel-Servais in Luxembourg City.

MALAWI. Prior notification to USDAO Lilongwe is required for military personnel on leave in Malawi. Provide name of traveler, rank, military service, unit, and date of arrival and departure. Military personnel require passports and visas. Firearms must be licensed. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Area 40, City Center in Lilongwe.

MALAYSIA. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance and do not need to register with USDAO. USDAO recommends, however, if an individual is subject to recall or should someone try to contact the individual through the USDAO, it would be beneficial for USDAO to have individual's name and point of contact during visit. Passport is required. Visas are not required for stays of up to 3 months. Declare firearms; police permit is required. Firearms may be stored under police protection at airport. Respect local religions and customs. Civilian clothing recommended. DATT assigned.

MACAU. Military personnel require a passport or ID card and three copies of leave orders specifically identifying Macau as a destination. Copies of orders will be collected by Macau immigration authorities. Wear civilian clothes. There is no U.S. representative in Macau. Consular assistance for U.S. citizens is provided by U.S. Consulate General in Hong Kong.

MALI. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice. Passports and visas are required. Personnel are urged to contact AMEMBASSY upon arrival. Civilian clothing recommended. Firearms must be registered. Respect all local customs. Photography is no longer restricted, except for military subjects.

MALTA. Military personnel require ID card and leave orders. Uniform prohibited. AMEMBASSY in Malta is located on third floor of Development House, St. Anne Street, Floriana, Valletta.

MARTINIQUE. Military personnel on leave require passport, onward/return ticket, ID card, and orders. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. Do not use cameras on airport. There are no DATTs or diplomatic officials stationed in Martinique. DATT responsible for Martinique are stationed in Paris, France.

MAURITANIA. Country clearance or advance notice is not required. Military personnel on leave require passports, visas, and proof of sufficient funds. Visas must be obtained before arrival. AMEMBASSY recommends all U.S. citizens in Mauritania register at AMEMBASSY in Nouakchott. Communications are poor. Travelers with passports containing South Africa visas, stamps, or entry permits will not be allowed to enter Mauritania. AMEMBASSY is located between Presidency Building and Spanish Embassy in Nouakchott.

MEXICO. Military personnel on leave may use passports and visas for tourist visits, however, they are not required. Individuals in leave status, and their dependents, may obtain tourist cards from a Mexican consulate, tourist office, or airlines by presenting proof of citizenship. Visitors will carry tourist cards and proof of citizenship while in Mexico. Mexican government requires visitors of dual U.S./Mexican or Mexican citizenship must carry their Mexican credentials indicating they have fulfilled their Mexican military obligation or they are exempt from this obligation. Personnel on leave entering Mexico by U.S. government transportation and departing by commercial means must obtain Form FM-6 from Mexican immigration upon arrival. Individuals not meeting this requirement could be prohibited by Mexican Government officials from departing until situation is resolved. Personnel entering Mexico by commercial and departing by U.S. government transportation require a visa and must not enter as tourist. Government of Mexico charges U.S. citizens traveling to Mexico's interior an entry fee. Civilian clothing required. ALUSNA assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Mexico City at Paseo de la Reforma 305, Colonia Cuauhtemoc.

MOROCCO. Entry clearance or advance notice is not required. Military personnel on leave require passports and may remain for up to 3 months without a visa. Passports must be valid for at least 6 months. Border officials must stamp passport upon entrance to Morocco, particularly at minor entrance points.

Holders of unstamped passports are subject to detention, fine and deportation. Above entrance formalities are of utmost importance to all travelers in view of arrests of Americans in Morocco without valid entry stamps in passports. Use cameras with discretion. No photographs should be taken near or at the airport or of military installations or buildings. Photographs of Moroccans should be taken only with permission. Do not photograph or enter mosques. Declare personal firearms on entry; immediate registration is required. Check with USDAO Rabat for special restrictions concerning travel to Southern Morocco (South of Agadir). Civilian clothing required. AMEMBASSY is located in Rabat at 2 Avenue de Marrakech. USDAO assigned.

NEPAL. A passport and visa are required. A tourist visa for a stay up to 30 days is issued at Kathmandu airport upon arrival for a fee. Fee for a tourist visa varies with number of entries requested. Military personnel on leave are encouraged to contact AMEMBASSY, Pani Pokhari, Kathmandu, upon arrival (Phone 411179, 411601, 411604, 411613, 412718, or 413890, ext 245, 246, or 237). Info USCINCPAC HONOLULU HI//JO2/J33/J52// on leave request. Civilian clothing recommended. Photographs on airport are prohibited. All firearms must be registered before arrival through American Embassy, Kathmandu. Cows are considered sacred. Observe travel restrictions, if any, stated on visa. Special travel permit, available in 2 to 3 days through AMEMBASSY, Kathmandu, is required for travel to places other than Kathmandu Valley, Pokhara, and Chitwan. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY is located on Pani Pokhari in Kathmandu.

NETHERLANDS (NATO). Military personnel on leave require ID card and leave orders. A visa is not required for stays of 90 days or less. No advance notice or clearance is required for leave travel by military personnel. Personal cameras may be used except in the air and in posted areas. Firearms are prohibited. Expect strict rules regarding importation of items made from animals or plants protected under Convention of International Trade of Endangered Species, i.e., clothing made of animal fur or skin. AMEMBASSY is located in the Hague at Lange Voorhout 102.

NIGER. Prior clearance or advance notice is not required. Passports and visas are required. U.S. citizens are encouraged to contact AMEMBASSY in Niamey upon arrival to register and

receive a security update. Civilian clothing is required. Firearms are prohibited. Respect local customs. AMEMBASSY is located on rue des Ambassades in Niamey.

NORWAY (NATO). Military personnel require ID card and leave orders (dependents require passports). A visa is not required for stays of 90 days less. AMEMBASSY is located at Drammensveien 18 in Oslo.

PAKISTAN. Military personnel are required to obtain prior clearance from USDAO for leave travel to Pakistan. Personnel in leave status or on unofficial travel must possess a valid passport and visa. Visa must be obtained prior to arrival. Civilian clothing required. Aerial photography is prohibited as well as all photographs of airports, military installations, dams, bridges, power plants, and mountain passes. Firearms must be licensed. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in diplomatic enclave, Ramna 5, in Islamabad.

PANAMA. Passport required. A visa (obtained prior to arrival for travel on U.S. military aircraft) or a tourist card (purchased from airlines) is also required. Travel to Panama for active duty military personnel on leave does not require a country clearance, however, travelers are required to contact USDAO at 207-7320 or 207-7468 upon arrival and provide a local address and phone number where they may be reached if necessary. AMEMBASSY is located on Panama Bay at Balboa Avenue and 40th Street.

<u>PARAGUAY</u>. Personnel on leave require military ID card, leave orders, immunization records, and passport. A visa is not required for stays of less than 90 days. Prior clearance is not required but USDAO should be contacted upon arrival (Phone: 213-715, ext 330).

<u>PERU</u>. Personnel require country clearance from USDAO Lima prior to travel. Passport required, tourist card, ID card, and orders. Tourist card (Cedula C) is issued at no charge at or inbound to Jorge Chavez Intl to all persons with regular passport staying 2-90 days.

PHILIPPINES. Personnel traveling to Philippines on leave must submit country and theater clearance requests to USCINCPAC REF PHILIPPINES MANILA RP and USCINCPAC HONOLULU HI//J02/J3/J52//

and info USDAO MANILA RP, SEC DEF WASHINGTON DC//USPP ISA/AP//, CHIEF JUSMAG MANILA RP, DIA WASHINGTON DC//DHO-3//, and CINCPACFLT PEARL HARBOR HI. Concurrence may be assumed unless otherwise notified within 15 days. In case of emergency leave, travel may commence immediately after clearance request message has been sent without the 15-day waiting period.

Requirements for Filipino service members and their families who are non-immigrant residents of the US:

For Non-immigrant service members: may enter Philippines with a Philippines passport. In order to leave Philippines, servicemember must have a passport, current military identification card, and valid leave papers/orders. These leave papers/orders must specify Philippines as a destination or interim stop. Failure to possess these documents or staying past dates specified in the leave papers/orders will result in servicemember being prevented from leaving the country by Philippines immigration. Servicemember will then be subject to remaining in country indefinitely.

For Non-immigrant family members: State Department no longer grants preferential visa treatment to families of non-immigrant servicemembers. Before leaving the U.S., non-immigrant family members who have one-time entry visas or who have extended their stay in the U.S. with Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) via voluntary departure order should apply for and obtain advance parole from their local INS office. Although some exceptions are made by AMEMBASSY on a case-by-case basis, non-immigrant family members who fail to obtain advance parole from INS should be aware they face a good possibility of not being allowed to return to the U.S..

Filipino servicemembers and their dependents who are U.S. resident aliens (green card holders) must have valid Philippine passports and Resident Alien Cards in their possession.

Commanders should ensure non-immigrant Filipino service members and their families have all appropriate documentation prior to authorizing leave travel to Philippines.

No formal currency declaration is required; those entering or departing may not possess more than 500 pesos. No restrictions are imposed on imports or exports of legally

acquired foreign currency and travelers checks. Exchange dollar instruments for pesos at U.S. facilities or central bank agencies. Facilities are extremely limited for cashing personal checks. Travelers should have upon arrival sufficient travelers checks to meet financial obligations. Credit and charge cards can be used only at major hotels and a very limited number of restaurants and businesses. No facilities are available for converting pesos to dollars upon departure. Use of U.S. dollars on Philippine economy is prohibited.

Unless source is known, boil water. Wash fruits and vegetables. Use canned or dried milk. Military firearms are prohibited. Privately owned firearms are strictly prohibited from entry.

<u>POLAND</u> (NATO). Passport, ID card and leave orders. A visa is not required for a regular (tourist) passport if stay is less than 90 days. Drink bottled water. There is currently no restriction on wearing of uniforms. Local currency may be exchanged at state banking facility or travel agency (ORBIS) office and also any local KANTOR office. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located at Aleje Ujazdowskie 29/31 in Warsaw.

PORTUGAL (NATO). Passport, ID card and leave orders required for all except Lajes Field, Azores. Although medical facilities are available, doctors and hospitals often expect immediate cash payment for health services. Use bottled water or boil water prior to consumption. Permission of Portuguese government is required for importation of firearms. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY and Consulate in Lisbon are located on Avenida Das Forcas Armadas, in Sete Rios section of town.

PUERTO RICO. ID card and leave orders required. Proof of citizenship is required if entering from other than North, Central, or South America, or adjacent islands; or unless exempt by Secretary of State. Proof of citizenship must be established to the satisfaction of the examining immigration officer. Wash or peel fruits and vegetables. Check local regulations for off-limit restriction. No AMEMBASSY, responsible agency is Commanding Officer, Naval Station, Roosevelt Roads.

SENEGAL. Personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice. A passport is required and a visa is required for stays of more than 90 days. Computers and computer parts, video

cameras and players, stereo equipment, tape players, auto parts, and various tools and spare parts cannot be brought into Senegal without clearance by Senegalese customs. Firearms must be registered. No automatic or semi-automatic long guns are permitted. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located on Avenue Jean SGIII in Dakai.

<u>SINGAPORE</u>. A passport is required. A visa is not required for stays of up to 14 days. DATT assigned. AMEMBASSY is located at 27 Napier Road in Singapore, 258508.

SPAIN (NATO). Military personnel stationed in Europe on leave may enter without passport provided they have DOD identification card and leave orders. Other military personnel should possess tourist passport if they are entering Spain via a commercial port. Military personnel entering Spain on leave using official or diplomatic passport must have a valid visa. AMEMBASSY is located at Serrano 75 in Madrid.

SWAZILAND. Military personnel on leave do not require clearance or advance notice, but do require identification credentials. AMEMBASSY recommends military personnel on leave in Swaziland advise Consular Section of AMEMBASSY of their whereabouts in order to enable their parent organizations to more easily locate them in case of emergency. A passport is required; visas are not required of tourists planning to stay less than 60 days. No U.S. military attache assigned. USAIRA and USARMA, Republic of South Africa, are diplomatically assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Central Bank Building on Warner Street in Mbabane.

SWEDEN. Military personnel on leave require passports. Military personnel who are U.S. citizens and currently assigned to U.S. military units in Western Europe may be exempted from passport requirement if they can show a valid military ID card and "Leave Order" naming Sweden as a specific destination. Despite this exemption, possession of a valid U.S. passport is strongly recommended. AMEMBASSY is located at Dag Hammarskjolds Vag 31 in Stockholm.

SWITZERLAND. Military personnel on leave may enter Switzerland with passport or military ID card and official leave orders. A visa is not required for stays up to 90 days. Civilian clothing

is required. A permit is required for firearms in Switzerland. Photographing military installations is prohibited. AMEMBASSY is located at Jubilaeumstrasse 93, in Bern.

TANZANIA. Passport and visa required. Visa for mainland Tanzania are also valid for Zanzibar. Airport visas may be obtained only in Zanzibar; they are not available at mainland airports. Civilian clothes required. Photographs of military installations is forbidden. AMEMBASSY recommends against photography in urban areas. AMEMBASSY is located at 140 Msese Road, Kinondoni District, Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania.

THAILAND. Passport required. Visa is not required for stays of less than 30 days, but permission to enter Thailand under this provision may only be granted at the international airports in Bangkok, Phuket, Hat Yai, and Chiang Mai. Airport permit cannot be extended. USDAO assigned. AMEMBASSY is located in Bangkok at 120/122 Wireless Road.

TOGO. Passports and visas are required. Visas are not available at airport. U.S. citizens traveling to Togo are encouraged to contact AMEMBASSY in Lome upon arrival to register their presence and receive updated security information. USARMA (DATT), USAIRA, and ALUSNA Cote d'Ivoire are diplomatically assigned. Permit is required for firearms. AMEMBASSY recommends no attempt be made to import firearms. Obey local customs. AMEMBASSY is located at intersection of rue Pelletier Caventou and rue Vauban in Lome.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO. No U.S. DATT assigned. Military personnel on leave or business-related travel must have passports, ID card, and leave orders. Visas are not required for U.S. citizens visiting for less than 3 months. Advance notice is required for leave travel by military so local conditions may be explained. AMEMBASSY is located at 15 Queen's Park West in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad.

TUNISIA. Military personnel on leave require passports but do not require visas or advance notice, but do require identification credentials. DOD military and civilian personnel will notify USDAO Tunis upon arrival in country and provide emergency contact information. There are no U.S. military facilities, including medical treatment, available to U.S. military personnel. Do not photograph ports, airports, or

Tunisian military facilities. Use cameras with discretion near any government property or personnel. A Tunisian government license is required to carry firearms. Respect all local customs. Avoid individual or group activities which might be construed as disrespect for local religious beliefs and customs. Do not discuss politics. AMEMBASSY is located at 144 Avenue de la Liberte 1002 Tunis-Belevedere, in Tunis.

TURKS AND CAICO ISLANDS. Military personnel require ID card and orders. For tourists stays of up to 3 months, U.S. citizens need proof of U.S. citizenship, a photo ID, an onward/return ticket, and sufficient funds. Stays of more than 3 months require visas. Civilian clothing is required. Carrying of firearms is prohibited. There are no U.S. DATTs assigned. AMEMBASSY in Nassau Bahamas is responsible for U.S. interests in Turks and Caico Islands.

<u>UNITED KINGDOM</u> (NATO). Includes England, Scotland, Wales, and Northern Ireland. Military personnel on leave require ID card and leave orders. A visa is not required for stays of 6 months or less. Declare firearms and register them immediately. AMEMBASSY is located at 24/31 Grosvenor Square.

<u>URUGUAY</u>. Passport, ID card, and leave orders required. Visas are required for stays of more than 90 days. Civilian clothing required. Photography of military installations and equipment is prohibited. AMEMBASSY is located in Montevideo at Lauro Muller 1776.

VENEZUELA. Tourist passport required. A visa is not required for stays less than 90 days. Do not photograph airports, oil installations, or port and coastal areas. AMEMBASSY in Venezuela is located in Caracas at Calle Suapure and Calle F. Colinas de Valle Arriba.

<u>VIRGIN ISLANDS</u>. ID card and leave orders required. Register firearms with police. Boil water unless sure of source. Fruits and vegetables should be washed and peeled or cooked.

ZAMBIA. Military personnel require passports and visas. Secretary of State advises U.S. citizens to contact AMEMBASSY in Lusaka immediately upon arrival. AMEMBASSY is located at corner of Independence and United Nations Avenues. Travel to military areas and photography of military facilities are prohibited.

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Photography of any area other than tourist attractions may be challenged by authorities. Wearing of apparel that could be mistaken for military uniform can cause problems for visitors. AMEMBASSY is located at the corner of Independence and United Nations Avenue.